



## **BEARFACTS 1990 – 2000**

### **Jefferson , Washington [53031]**

Jefferson is one of 39 counties in Washington. It is not part of a Metropolitan Area. Its 2000 population of 26,419 ranked 27th in the state.

#### **PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2000 Jefferson had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$28,447. This PCPI ranked 7th in the state and was 90 percent of the state average, \$31,780, and 95 percent of the national average, \$29,847. The 2000 PCPI reflected an increase of 3.2 percent from 1999. The 1999-2000 state change was 5.8 percent and the national change was 6.8 percent. In 1990 the PCPI of Jefferson was \$17,749 and ranked 13th in the state. The 1990-2000 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 4.8 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.8 percent and for the nation was 4.4 percent.

#### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2000 Jefferson had a total personal income (TPI) of \$751,547\*. This TPI ranked 26th in the state and accounted for 0.4 percent of the state total. In 1990 the TPI of Jefferson was \$366,670\* and ranked 27th in the state. The 2000 TPI reflected an increase of 6.3 percent from 1999. The 1999-2000 state change was 7.0 percent and the national change was 8.0 percent. The 1990-2000 average annual growth rate of TPI was 7.4 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 6.8 percent and for the nation was 5.6 percent.

#### **COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Jefferson. In 2000 net earnings accounted for 49.4 percent of TPI (compared with 51.7 in 1990); dividends, interest, and rent were 32.3 percent (compared with 32.3 in 1990); and personal current transfer receipts were 18.3 percent (compared with 16.0 in 1990). From 1999 to 2000 net earnings increased 6.0 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 6.5 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 6.7 percent. From 1990 to 2000 net earnings increased on average 6.9 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 7.5 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 8.9 percent.

#### **EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK**

Earnings of persons employed in Jefferson increased from \$281,667\* in 1999 to \$296,814\* in 2000, an increase of 5.4 percent. The 1999-2000 state change was 6.4 percent and the national change was 8.0 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1990 estimate of \$163,840\* to the 2000 estimate was 6.1 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 6.9 percent and for the nation was 5.8 percent.

*\*Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.*

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